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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
ULRICH MUELLER, ET AL. : EXAMINER:
SERIAL NO: 10/061,147 :
FILED: FEBRUARY 1, 2002 : GROUP ART UNIT:
FOR: METHOD OF STORING, :
UPTAKING, RELEASING OF :
GASES BY NOVEL FRAMEWORK :
MATERIALS :

LETTER

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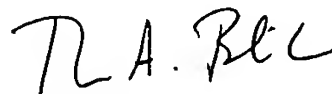
In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application issued August 2, 2002, Applicants provide herewith a copy of the fully executed Declaration and Completion of Filing Requirements which were timely filed June 27, 2002, which Applicants note does include the signature of Michael Hessee.

In addition, Applicants provide herewith substitute drawings and Revocation and New Appointment of Power of Attorney.

Applicants respectfully submit that the present application is now in condition for examination on the merits, and early notification thereof is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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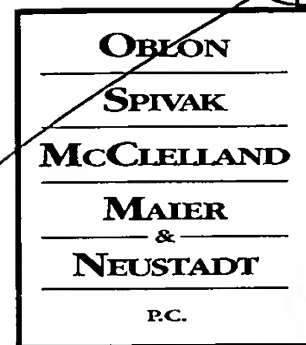
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RE: Application Serial No.: 10/061,147

Applicants: Ulrich MUELLER, et al.

Filing Date: February 1, 2002

For: METHOD OF STORING, UPTAKING, RELEASING
OF GASES BY NOVEL FRAMEWORK MATERIALS

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

Letter, Revocation and New Appointment of Power of Attorney, Request for Extension of Time 1-month, Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application – Return copy, Copy of Completion of Filing Requirements, Copy of Declaration filed June 27, 2002 (5 pages executed), Letter to Official Draftsman, THREE (3) sheets of Formal Drawings for FIGS.: 1-3

Our check in the amount of \$110.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The signature of the following inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:
Michael Hesse

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE



(Docket No. 12117)

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Group Art Unit: N/A

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

I hereby certify that the attached correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231, on

June 27, 2002

Linda J. Cochran
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COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
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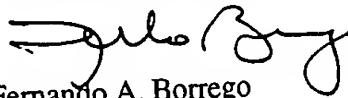
Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed April 9, 2002, Applicant(s) respectfully submit herewith the Declaration and Power of Attorney to complete the filing requirements. The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account 23-3425 in the amount of \$130.00 for the fees applicable thereto.

Also attached is a Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time, authorizing the

Commissioner to charge Deposit Account 23-3425 for the fees applicable thereto.

Respectfully submitted,



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SIR:

It is requested that the enclosed THREE (3) sheets of Formal Drawings for FIGS.:

1 - 3 be entered to replace the Informal Drawings originally filed with the application.



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